## Environmental **Product** Declaration

In accordance with ISO 14025 and EN 15804:2012+A2:2019 for:

## **Copper Wire Rod**

From **Elcowire AB** 

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**Description of the organisation:** With an annual production of 300 000 tonnes, Elcowire is one of the largest manufacturers in Europe of copper wire rod, wires, stranded conductors, profiles and overhead catenary systems made from copper, copper alloys and aluminum.

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Elcowire also manufacture aluminum conductors, rectangular wire and profiles for electrical purposes. The production plants are located in Helsingborg, Sweden and in Hettstedt, Germany.

Elcowire is driven by the power of continuous improvement – and always with the customer in focus. The result is high quality products, reliability, attention to details and a strong technical partnership. Our business is divided in five units: Rod, Rail, High Voltage, Specials and Wire & Strands.

Product-related or management system-related certifications: ISO 14001 and ISO 9001

**Name and location of production site(s):** The production plants are located in Helsingborg, Sweden and in Hettstedt, Germany. This EPD only concerns the production plant in Helsingborg.





### **Product Information**

Product name: Copper wire rod.

The EPD covers copper wire rod made with "Low-carbon copper"<sup>1</sup> and with regular copper.

**Product description**: Copper wire rod is produced from grade A copper cathodes in Helsingborg, Sweden. The product is continuously casted and rolled according to EN-1977 and ASTM B 49 standards or according to customer specifications. The product can be further refined by extrusion or drawing.

- For the purpose of drawing, the circular rod is produced in the following dimensions: 8.0, 10.0 and 12.4 mm.
- For the purpose of extrusion, the circular rod is produced in the following dimensions 8.0, 10.0, 12.4, 15.6 and 19.6 mm.

In Table 1, the specification for the rod is presented and in Figure 1 a picture of the product is shown.

Specification Designation	ASTM B49 C11000 ETP <b>C11040</b>	EN 1977 ETP CW 004A	EN 1977 ETP1 CW 003A
Resistivity (nWm)	max 17.24	max 17.24	max 17.07
Elongation (%)	min 30	min 30	min 30
Tolerance of diameter, mm	± 0.38	± 0.4	± 0.4
Oxygen content, ppm	100-650	100-400	100-400

Table 1. Specifications for copper wire rod made for further refinement through drawing or extrusion.

#### **Product identification:**

- ASTM B49 Copper Redraw Rod for Electrical Purposes
- EN 1977 Copper and copper alloys Copper drawing stock (wire rod)

#### UN CPC code: 415



Figure 1. Representative picture of copper wire rod.

<sup>1</sup> "Low-carbon copper" is a product name for a sort of copper produced with a lower climate impact than regular copper.



## **LCA Information**

Declared unit: 1 kg of copper wire rod.

The results are calculated for copper wire rod made with "Low-carbon copper" or regular copper.

The EPD includes copper wire rod in the following dimensions: 8.0, 10.0, 12.4, 15.6 and 19.6 mm.

**Time representativeness:** Data are representative for production year 2021. For materials, energy and transports, generic industry data from Ecoinvent have been used.

Databases and LCA software used: Ecoinvent 3.8 and SimaPro 9.1.1.1.

**Description of system boundaries:** Cradle to gate with modules C1–C4 and module D (A1–A3 + C + D. See Table 2 and Figure 2 for a representation of the system boundaries and modules declared.

**Estimates and assumptions:** Heat, electricity and other energy use as well as waste in the production are calculated as a weighted average per produced tonne of all products using yearly production data for 2021. No assumptions made.

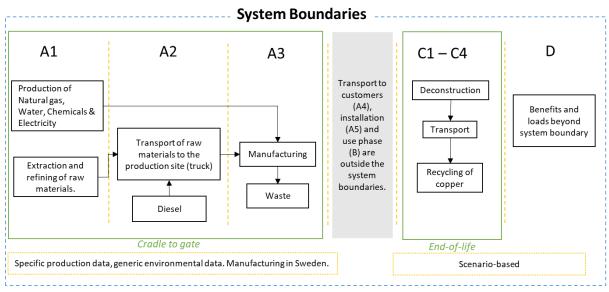
**Cut off criteria:** All major materials, production energy use and waste are included. Materials less than 1 % weight in the product are not taken into account.

**Data quality:** The data quality can be described as fair for waste estimations and transports and good for other data. The primary data collection has been done thoroughly and all relevant flows are considered.

Two different sets of data for copper have been used, one for "Low-carbon copper" and one for "regular" copper. The "Low-carbon copper" originates from mines in Sweden, while the regular copper originates from mines located outside of Sweden. Both flows of mined copper are treated in Sweden. General datasets matching these criteria have been used as a baseline, and modifications have been made in cooperation with one of Elcowire's main suppliers to get a dataset as specific as possible. Life cycle data from the supplier's production in Sweden have given inputs leading to modifications of the "Low-carbon copper" dataset. Data from a global copper association have been an input to modifications of the dataset for "regular" copper.

The modifications for both datasets have been done conservatively.





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Figure 2. System boundaries.

	Pro	duct st	age		ruction cess ige	Use stage					End-of-life stage				Resource recovery stage		
	Raw material supply	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport	Construction installation	Use	Maintenance	Repair	Replacement	Refurbishment	Operational energy use	Operational water use	De-construction demolition	Transport	Waste processing	Disposal	Reuse-Recovery-Recycling- potential
Module	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	В3	B4	В5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Modules declared	Х	х	х	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	Х	х	Х	х	х
Geography	GLO	GLO	SE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	GLO	GLO	GLO	GLO	GLO
Specific data used	About 80 %			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Variation – products	Only one product.				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Variation – sites		Only on	e produc	tion site.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 2. Modules declared, geographical scope, share of specific data (in GWP-GHG indicator) and data variation:





#### **Scenario Based Calculation**

Module C and D are calculated based on a scenario.

**Module C** – Only the copper is taken into consideration in module C, therefore there is no impact in C1.

The copper is assumed to be transported 100 kilometers by a Euro 5 truck from the site to a recycling centre (C2). This is a conservative approach. As only the copper is being considered, no processing before recycling is necessary.

In C3, the packaging of the product is assumed to be incinerated.

No disposal occurs for the products, thus there is no impact in C4.

**Module D** – No disposal occurs for the products. All the copper goes to recycling and the packaging is incinerated. The recycled copper replace copper made of virgin material and the incinerated packaging assumes to contribute with electricity to the European electricity grid. Therefore, both materials contribute positively beyond the system boundary.



## **Content Information**

### Copper Wire Rod with "Low-carbon copper"

Product components	Weight, kg	Post-consumer material, weight-%	Renewable material, weight-%
Copper, "Low-carbon copper"	1		
TOTAL	1		
Packaging materials	Weight, kg	Weight-% (versu	is the product)
Plastic	0.000189	0.0129 %	
Corrugated cardboard	0.00000475	0.0005 %	
TOTAL	0.000189		

Dangerous substances from the candidate list of SVHC for Authorisation	EC No.	CAS No.	Weight-% per functional or declared unit
TOTAL*			

\*No dangerous substances from the candidate list of SVHC for Authorisation

### Copper Wire Rod with Regular Copper

Product components	Weight, kg	Post-consumer material, weight-%	Renewable material, weight-%
Copper, regular copper	1		
TOTAL	1		
Packaging materials	Weight, kg	Weight-% (versu	is the product)
Plastic	0.000189	0.0129 %	
Corrugated cardboard	0.00000475	0.0005 %	
TOTAL	0.000189		

Dangerous substances from the candidate list of SVHC for Authorisation	EC No.	CAS No.	Weight-% per functional or declared unit
TOTAL*			

\*No dangerous substances from the candidate list of SVHC for Authorisation

## **Environmental Information**

The environmental impact for copper wire rod is calculated for both "Low-carbon copper" and regular copper. In the sections below the environmental impact for both are presented, starting with the "Low-carbon copper".

#### Copper Wire Rod with "Low-carbon copper"

#### Potential environmental impact – mandatory indicators according to EN 15804 Results per kg copper wire rod, "Low-carbon copper"

Results per ky copper wire rou, "Low-carbon copper												
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	Tot.A1- A3	C1	C2	C3	C4	D		
GWP-fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.38E+00	1.99E-02	1.64E-01	1.57E+00	0.00E+00	1.74E-02	1.01E-04	0.00E+00	-6.80E+00		
GWP-biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.21E-02	1.97E-04	2.09E-03	1.44E-02	0.00E+00	9.21E-06	1.46E-04	0.00E+00	-1.74E-02		
GWP- Iuluc	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	4.08E-03	2.95E-05	2.00E-04	4.31E-03	0.00E+00	7.08E-06	2.18E-09	0.00E+00	-1.02E-02		
GWP- total	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.40E+00	2.02E-02	1.66E-01	1.58E+00	0.00E+00	1.74E-02	2.47E-04	0.00E+00	-6.83E+00		
ODP	kg CFC 11 eq.	1.51E-07	2.06E-09	2.61E-08	1.79E-07	0.00E+00	3.83E-09	7.99E-13	0.00E+00	-4.38E-07		
AP	mol H⁺ eq.	5.19E-02	1.50E-04	3.78E-03	5.58E-02	0.00E+00	7.19E-05	5.88E-08	0.00E+00	-1.70E-01		
EP-freshwater	kg P eq.	1.35E-03	5.88E-06	1.79E-04	1.54E-03	0.00E+00	1.31E-06	7.41E-09	0.00E+00	-1.19E-01		
EP- marine	kg N eq.	1.53E-02	4.98E-05	2.03E-04	1.56E-02	0.00E+00	2.12E-05	3.10E-08	0.00E+00	-4.88E-02		
EP-terrestrial	mol N eq.	2.44E-01	5.38E-04	2.23E-03	2.47E-01	0.00E+00	2.31E-04	2.65E-07	0.00E+00	-7.09E-01		
POCP	kg NMVOC eq.	4.60E-02	1.56E-04	7.10E-04	4.68E-02	0.00E+00	7.04E-05	6.57E-08	0.00E+00	-1.37E-01		
ADP- minerals&metals*	kg Sb eq.	4.07E-03	2.69E-07	9.83E-05	4.17E-03	0.00E+00	5.92E-08	1.81E-11	0.00E+00	-2.39E-03		
ADP-fossil*	MJ	2.27E+01	4.12E-01	2.62E+00	2.57E+01	0.00E+00	2.56E-01	6.46E-05	0.00E+00	-7.71E+01		
WDP	m³	8.30E-01	5.66E-03	6.90E-01	1.53E+00	0.00E+00	8.86E-04	1.29E-05	0.00E+00	-2.80E+00		
Acronyms	GWP-fossil = Global Warm Acidification p freshwater er compartment tropospheric	ing Potential potential, Ac nd compartm ;; EP-terrestr	l land use an cumulated E lent; EP-mar ial = Eutroph	id land use c xceedance; ine = Eutrop nication pote	hange; ODP EP-freshwat hication pote ntial, Accum	P = Depletion er = Eutroph ential, fractio ulated Excee	potential of ication poter n of nutrients edance; POC	the stratosp ntial, fraction s reaching m CP = Formati	heric ozone of nutrients arine end on potential	ayer; AP = reaching of		

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depletion for fossil resources potential; WDP = Water (user) deprivation potential, deprivation-weighted water consumption

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## Potential environmental impact – additional mandatory and voluntary indicators

	Results per kg copper wire rod, "Low-carbon copper"											
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	Tot.A1- A3	C1	C2	C3	C4	D		
GWP-GHG <sup>2</sup>	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.46E+00	2.02E-02	1.63E-01	1.64E+00	0.00E+00	1.74E-02	2.47E-04	0.00E+00	-6.70E+00		

#### Use of resources

Acronyms

		R	lesults pe	r kg copp	er wire roo	d, "Low-ca	arbon cop	per"		
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	Tot.A1- A3	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
PERE	MJ	1.32E+01	4.43E-01	8.08E-01	1.44E+01	0.00E+00	2.95E-03	2.09E-06	0.00E+00	-3.15E+01
PERM	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
PERT	MJ	1.32E+01	4.43E-01	8.08E-01	1.44E+01	0.00E+00	2.95E-03	2.09E-06	0.00E+00	-3.15E+01
PENRE	MJ	2.38E+01	4.25E-01	2.85E+00	2.71E+01	0.00E+00	2.72E-01	6.99E-05	0.00E+00	-8.22E+01
PENRM	MJ.	8.19E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	8.19E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	-8.19E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
PENRT	MJ	2.38E+01	4.25E-01	2.85E+00	2.71E+01	0.00E+00	2.72E-01	-8.12E-03	0.00E+00	-8.22E+01
SM	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	1.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
RSF	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
NRSF	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
FW	m³	8.34E-01	5.10E-03	6.92E-01	1.53E+00	0.00E+00	8.94E-04	1.30E-05	0.00E+00	-2.77E+00

PERE = Use of renewable primary energy excluding renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PERM = Use of renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PERT = Total use of renewable primary energy resources; PENRE = Use of non-renewable primary energy excluding non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRM = Use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRM = Use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRT = Total use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRT = Total use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRT = Total use of non-renewable primary energy resources; SM = Use of secondary material; RSF = Use of renewable secondary fuels; NRSF = Use of non-renewable secondary fuels; FW = Use of net fresh water

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The indicator includes all greenhouse gases included in GWP-total but excludes biogenic carbon dioxide uptake and emissions and biogenic carbon stored in the product. This indicator is thus almost equal to the GWP indicator originally defined in EN 15804:2012+A1:2013.





#### Waste production and output flows

#### Waste production

Results per kg copper wire rod, "Low-carbon copper"													
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	Tot.A1- A3	C1	C2	C3	C4	D			
Hazardous waste disposed	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00			
Non-hazardous waste disposed	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00			
Radioactive waste disposed	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00			

#### Output flows

Results per kg copper wire rod, "Low-carbon copper"										
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	Tot.A1-A3	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Components for re-use	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Material for recycling	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	1.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Materials for energy recovery	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	1.94E-04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Exported energy, electricity	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	-2.05E-03
Exported energy, thermal	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00

#### Information on biogenic carbon content

Results per kg copper wire rod, "Low-carbon copper"							
BIOGENIC CARBON CONTENT	Unit	QUANTITY					
Biogenic carbon content in product	kg C	0					
Biogenic carbon content in packaging	kg C	1.74E-05					

Note: 1 kg biogenic carbon is equivalent to 44/12 kg CO<sub>2</sub>.

### Copper Wire Rod with Regular Copper

#### Potential environmental impact – mandatory indicators according to EN 15804

Results per kg copper wire rod, regular copper										
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	Tot.A1- A3	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
GWP-fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	4.19E+00	3.23E-02	1.64E-01	4.38E+00	0.00E+00	1.74E-02	1.01E-04	0.00E+00	-6.80E+00
GWP-biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.13E-02	1.81E-04	2.09E-03	1.35E-02	0.00E+00	9.21E-06	1.46E-04	0.00E+00	-1.74E-02
GWP- luluc	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.58E-02	3.20E-05	2.00E-04	1.61E-02	0.00E+00	7.08E-06	2.18E-09	0.00E+00	-1.02E-02
GWP- total	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	4.21E+00	3.26E-02	1.66E-01	4.41E+00	0.00E+00	1.74E-02	2.47E-04	0.00E+00	-6.83E+00
ODP	kg CFC 11 eq.	3.24E-07	5.08E-09	2.61E-08	3.55E-07	0.00E+00	3.83E-09	7.99E-13	0.00E+00	-4.38E-07
AP	mol H⁺ eq.	1.45E-01	1.93E-04	3.78E-03	1.49E-01	0.00E+00	7.19E-05	5.88E-08	0.00E+00	-1.70E-01
EP-freshwater	kg P eq.	1.18E-01	6.29E-06	1.79E-04	1.18E-01	0.00E+00	1.31E-06	7.41E-09	0.00E+00	-1.19E-01
EP- marine	kg N eq.	4.21E-02	6.19E-05	2.03E-04	4.24E-02	0.00E+00	2.12E-05	3.10E-08	0.00E+00	-4.88E-02
EP-terrestrial	mol N eq.	6.17E-01	6.70E-04	2.23E-03	6.20E-01	0.00E+00	2.31E-04	2.65E-07	0.00E+00	-7.09E-01
POCP	kg NMVOC eq.	1.17E-01	1.97E-04	7.10E-04	1.18E-01	0.00E+00	7.04E-05	6.57E-08	0.00E+00	-1.37E-01
ADP- minerals&metals*	kg Sb eq.	2.38E-03	2.87E-07	9.83E-05	2.48E-03	0.00E+00	5.92E-08	1.81E-11	0.00E+00	-2.39E-03
ADP-fossil*	MJ	6.34E+01	5.81E-01	2.62E+00	6.66E+01	0.00E+00	2.56E-01	6.46E-05	0.00E+00	-7.71E+01
WDP	m <sup>3</sup>	2.60E+00	5.74E-03	6.90E-01	3.30E+00	0.00E+00	8.86E-04	1.29E-05	0.00E+00	-2.80E+00
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## Potential environmental impact – additional mandatory and voluntary indicators

	Results per kg copper wire rod, regular copper									
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	Tot.A1- A3	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
GWP-GHG <sup>3</sup>	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	4.08E+00	3.26E-02	1.63E-01	4.28E+00	0.00E+00	1.74E-02	2.47E-04	0.00E+00	-6.70E+00

#### Use of resources

Acronyms

	Results per kg copper wire rod, regular copper									
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	Tot.A1- A3	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
PERE	MJ	5.49E+01	3.92E-01	8.08E-01	5.61E+01	0.00E+00	2.95E-03	2.09E-06	0.00E+00	-3.15E+01
PERM	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
PERT	MJ	5.49E+01	3.92E-01	8.08E-01	5.61E+01	0.00E+00	2.95E-03	2.09E-06	0.00E+00	-3.15E+01
PENRE	MJ	6.65E+01	6.06E-01	2.85E+00	6.99E+01	0.00E+00	2.72E-01	6.99E-05	0.00E+00	-8.22E+01
PENRM	MJ.	8.19E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	8.19E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	-8.19E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
PENRT	MJ	6.65E+01	6.06E-01	2.85E+00	7.00E+01	0.00E+00	2.72E-01	-8.12E-03	0.00E+00	-8.22E+01
SM	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	1.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
RSF	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
NRSF	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
FW	m³	2.56E+00	5.25E-03	6.92E-01	3.26E+00	0.00E+00	8.94E-04	1.30E-05	0.00E+00	-2.77E+00
	PERE	= Use of rene	ewable prima	ry energy ex	cluding renew	vable primary	energy reso	urces used a	is raw materia	als; PERM

PERE = Use of renewable primary energy excluding renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PERM = Use of renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PERT = Total use of renewable primary energy resources; PENRE = Use of non-renewable primary energy excluding non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRM = Use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRT = Total use of non-renewable primary energy re-sources; SM = Use of secondary material; RSF = Use of renewable secondary fuels; NRSF = Use of non-renewable secondary fuels; FW = Use of net fresh water

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The indicator includes all greenhouse gases included in GWP-total but excludes biogenic carbon dioxide uptake and emissions and biogenic carbon stored in the product. This indicator is thus almost equal to the GWP indicator originally defined in EN 15804:2012+A1:2013.





#### Waste production and output flows

#### Waste production

Results per kg copper wire rod, regular copper										
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	Tot.A1- A3	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Hazardous waste disposed	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Non-hazardous waste disposed	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Radioactive waste disposed	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00

#### **Output flows**

Results per kg copper wire rod, regular copper										
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	Tot.A1-A3	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Components for re-use	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Material for recycling	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	1.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Materials for energy recovery	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	1.94E-04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Exported energy, electricity	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	-2.05E-03
Exported energy, thermal	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00

### Information on biogenic carbon content

Results per kg copper wire rod, regular copper								
BIOGENIC CARBON CONTENT	Unit	QUANTITY						
Biogenic carbon content in product	kg C	0						
Biogenic carbon content in packaging	kg C	1.74E-05						

Note: 1 kg biogenic carbon is equivalent to 44/12 kg CO<sub>2</sub>.





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